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In re Application of  
MACNALLY et al.  
U.S. Application No. 09/762,720  
PCT No.: PCT/US99/20792  
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For: A SINGLE-CHIP CMOS DIRECT  
CONVERSION TRANSCEIVER


DECISION


This is a decision on applicants' "REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION OF  
DECISION ON PETITION UNDER 37 CFR 1.47(a)" filed 20 November 2001.

The petition for status under 37 CFR 1.47(a) is moot since the declarations filed 20 November 2001 with the present communication was executed by the previously non-signing inventors, Donald Evan MacNally and Laurence Marguerite Plouvier. As such, the submission is a proper reply to the Decision mailed 20 September 2001. The declarations filed 19 June 2001 and 20 November 2001 are acceptable under 37 CFR 1.497.

The application has an international filing date of **10 September 1999** under 35 U.S.C. 363 and a date of **20 November 2001** under 35 U.S.C. 371(c).

The application is being returned to the International Division for processing as the U.S. National Stage of the above-identified international application.

  
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